

WARSAW FALLS INTO HANDS OF GERMANS

PRINCE OF BAVARIA LEADS TROOPS INTO POLISH CAPITAL ABANDONED BY RUSSIANS.

Retreating Russians Are Fighting Only Rear Guard Actions in Poland to Allow Their Main Army to Make Its Escape Intact.

The Germans are in possession of Warsaw, capital of Poland, and the third largest city in the Russian empire. Bavarian troops entered the city Thursday morning, August 5, having taken successively the Blonie lines and the outer and inner fortresses of the city itself, the Russians only fighting rear guard actions to allow their main army to make its escape.

While to the Bavarians, commanded by Prince Leopold, has fallen the honor of taking over Warsaw in the name of the German emperor and his consort, who are expected to make a state entry within a few days, the real conquerors are the troops fighting under Field Marshal von Hindenburg, along the Narew river to the northeast; to the Austro-Germans, who crossed the Vistula to the south of the city, and to the armies of the Austrian archduke, Joseph Ferdinand, and the German Field Marshal von Mackensen, which are advancing northward between the Vistula and Bug rivers.

The Russians are fighting desperately and stubbornly to check the progress of these four armies and have had several successes, inflicting heavy losses on their pursuers; but they are being steadily pressed back, which made the longer occupation of the Warsaw Polish salient a hazardous undertaking.

Even now, although the steadiness of the Russian troops and their fierce counterattacks have gained much valuable time for them, it is problematical whether the whole Russian army will succeed in reaching the new positions chosen for it, or whether, if it should get there, it will not find those positions turned by the Austrians who have crossed the Bug southeast of Chelm and the Germans under General von Scholtz and von Gallwitz, who have crossed the Narew.

At the northeastern end of the line, the Russian communications are threatened further by General von Buelow, who is advancing toward Dvinsk on the Vilna-Petrograd railway. Indeed, the Austro-Germans have set three traps to catch and destroy the Russian army. None of them was sprung, but one was so near to closing that Grand Duke Nicholas was forced to evacuate Warsaw and now is fighting with all his might to prevent the others from cutting off his retreat.

Thus far he seemingly has been successful, for although the Germans claim the capture of a large number of prisoners, the aggregate is small when compared with the immense forces engaged. In addition the Russian guns apparently are well on their way to the rear.

The Russians are also preparing to evacuate Riga, the port on the gulf of that name in the north. The arrival of the Germans ten miles south of that city already has been the cause of the civilian population departing.

While expressing the fullest confidence in the future, the British military critics make no attempt to belittle the achievements of the Teutons or the effect their success is likely to have in the near east and the west.

What their next move will be is a matter of conjecture. Some military observers believe they will continue to attack the Russians in the hope of finally crushing them, a task which, it is considered, is rendered difficult by the fact that the Russians in their retreat lay the country waste, making it necessary for the invaders to bring up every ounce of food required for their army.

Other observers think Serbia will be attacked, so as to impress the Balkan states which remain neutral, while still another group looks for a big offensive against the Franco-British-Belgian line in the west. All of the observers are of the opinion that wherever the new operation is begun it will be on a big scale.

The Germans also have had local successes in the west, recapturing on the crest of the line in the Vosges a portion of the trenches which the French took from them some time ago.

Airmen Bombard Strassburg.

Paris.—A flotilla of Anglo-French aeroplanes on Wednesday flew over the German city of Strassburg and dropped twenty-five bombs, according to a dispatch from Geneva to the Havas News Agency.

Trains Collide in Arkansas.

Ozark, Ark.—Sixty-one persons were injured when an eastbound and a westbound passenger train of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern railway collided at Popping, five miles west of here.

Threatens President.

San Antonio, Texas.—Charged with threatening the life of President Wilson and also with threatening to kill Theodore Roosevelt, F. H. Juerkins, 26 years old, was arrested Wednesday and placed in jail.

CARRANZA WILLING TO TALK OF PEACE

BUT INDICATES THAT HE WILL SEEK RECOGNITION BY THE UNITED STATES.

Will Not Agree to Convention Such as Was Held at Aguas Calientes, Declaring He Will Not Match Votes With Villa and Zapata.

Washington.—General Carranza has informed the state department that he is willing to confer with representatives of Villa and Zapata on the subject of establishing peace in Mexico, and that he will guarantee safe conduct of the envoys of the other leaders whenever the conference is arranged.

He has informed this government, however, that he will not participate in a convention such as was held at Aguas Calientes, where the questions at issue were put to a vote. As Carranza has expressed it to the department, he has no intention of "matching votes with Villa and Zapata."

At the same time Carranza has told this government that he will make formal application for recognition by the United States as soon as he establishes his government in Mexico City, which will probably be within the next few days. From these declarations the state department interprets Carranza's attitude to be that he is willing to talk peace with Villa and Zapata, but that peace cannot be arranged unless his supremacy is recognized.

MRS. VILLA AT LONG BEACH.

Wife of Mexican Chieftain Visits Southern California Playground.

Long Beach, Cal.—Mrs. Francisco Villa, young wife of the Mexican chieftain, arrived here Saturday with her month-old daughter and a party of fifteen relatives, friends and servants. She came from Juarez, and a member of her suite said that General Villa several days ago had his first opportunity to see the baby.

Newspaper dispatches at the time of their marriage related that the present Mrs. Villa is an American girl, and was cashier in a store at Torreon. Villa, it was related, saw her there and decided he would take her and make her his wife. He ordered his troops to surround the store, captured the girl and carried her off in triumph. It was never learned that she had any objection to this method of courtship.

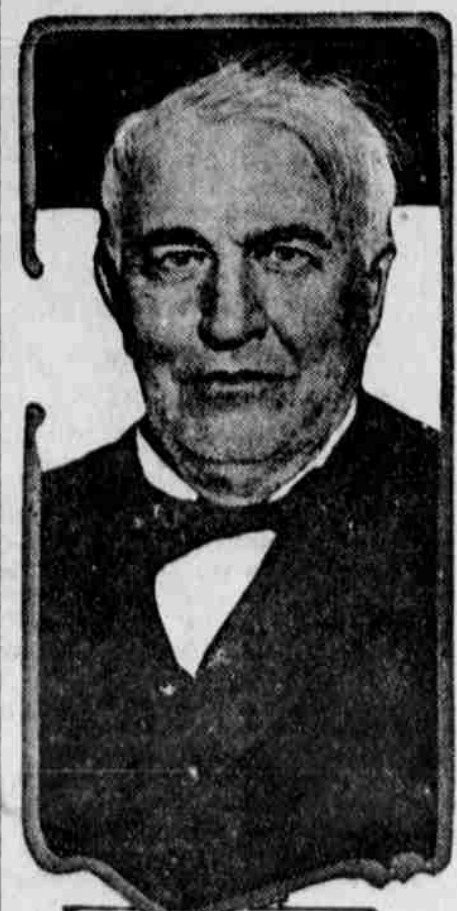
Emma Goldman Again in Trouble.

Portland, Ore.—Miss Emma Goldman, anarchist, lecturer, and Dr. Ben R. Eitman, her business manager, were fined \$100 each in the municipal court here on a charge of violating a city ordinance by distributing literature on birth control.

Canal Traffic Delayed.

Panama.—An earth movement at Gaillard cut in the Panama canal has reduced the depth of the channel at that point to less than twenty feet. This has delayed the passage of ten vessels, including the steamer Finland.

THOMAS A. EDISON



Mr. Edison has accepted the position of head of the new navy bureau of invention. Besides his other great accomplishments, he is an expert on submarines and has in hand several improvements for the undersea craft.

Robbed and Murdered.

Duluth, Minn.—Robbed, murdered and tied to a ventilator on top of a sleeping car, the boy of a well-dressed man was carried from Minneapolis or St. Paul to within thirty miles of Duluth before it was found.

Possee Kills Mexican Outlaws.

Brownsville, Texas.—Three Mexican outlaws were killed by a posse at a farmhouse about thirty miles north of here. One member of the posse was slightly wounded. The fight was of short duration.



MEXICAN RAIDERS KILL AMERICANS

PRESIDENT OF LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE AND HIS SON SHOT DOWN BY BANDITS.

Mexicans Crossed Border, Ransacked Home of Victims and Then Foully Murdered Men in Their Own Homes.

Brownsville, Texas.—United States cavalrymen, Texas rangers and posses of citizens are continuing their search for a band of a dozen Mexican ranch raiders, who on Friday, after several weeks of outlawry, raided the small town of Sebastian, thirty-seven miles north of Brownsville, and killed Al Austin, president of the Sebastian Law and Order league, and his son, Charles.

Adjutant General Henry Hutchins of Texas visited Sebastian and personally investigated conditions there and will recommend to Governor Ferguson that a sufficient force of the Texas National Guard be sent to Cameron county to afford protection against the outlaws.

Officers of Cameron county, after five weeks' constant work, said they had found a clue to the identity of some of the raiders. A young American named Millard, who was a witness to the killing of Austin and his son, was quoted as saying he recognized five or six of the Mexican bandits as residents of the Sebastian community. He gave their names to the authorities, it was said. This information, if confirmed, would make certain that Mexican residents on the Texas side of the Rio Grande are at least partly responsible for recent acts of outlawry charged to raiders from the Mexican side.

Millard was forced by the Mexicans to drive a cart in which Austin and his son were placed, from their farm to their home, which was ransacked. The Austins then were killed. Millard said he recognized in one of the bandits a Mexican to whom he had loaned money, and, owing to this fact, thinks his life was spared.

NOAH WAS CAUSE OF FALL.

Adam and Eve Held Blameless for Fall of Man.

Philadelphia.—It was not Adam and Eve who brought about the fall of man, but Noah, according to a translation of a tablet now in the University of Pennsylvania museum. An announcement to this effect was made on Sunday by a representative of the museum.

According to the Sumerian theology found on the tablet, which is said to have been written before the days of Abraham and translated by Dr. Steven Langdon, professor of Assyriology in Oxford university, England, Noah was ordered not to eat of the cassia tree in the garden of aradise and when he disobeyed the curse fell upon him.

Tea for English Soldiers.

London.—Twenty million pounds of tea, about one-fourth of the bonded warehouse stock in the United Kingdom, is stored in the port of London's Cutler street warehouse, awaiting the orders of the war office. It is intended for the supply of the British force at home and abroad. The bulk of it has come from India and Ceylon.

Beer Shortage in Berlin.

Berlin.—Prospects of a beer shortage and, as its natural resultant, another increase in prices, is giving concern to the authorities. For some time now the beer production has been reduced to 60 per cent of its former figures—for the purpose of cutting down the quantity of barley used.

Granted Eight-hour Day.

Bridgeport, Conn.—The Locomobile Company of America announced Friday it would institute an eight-hour work day in its plant should the employees desire that instead of the profit-sharing plan recently proposed.

General Tracy Dead.

New York.—General Benjamin F. Tracy, who was President Harrison's secretary of the navy, died of paralysis here Friday in his 85th year, after a period of unconsciousness lasting nine days.

OFFER OF PEACE IS TURNED DOWN

KAISER SAID TO HAVE MADE PROPOSALS TO RUSSIA THROUGH KING OF DENMARK.

The Czar's Reply to the Danish Monarch's Letter is Declared to Have Been That There Could Be No Question of Peace.

Petrograd.—From absolutely trustworthy sources the Bourse Gazette learns that last week Emperor William, through the King of Denmark, offered the Russians terms of peace. The reply of the czar to the Danish monarch's letter was the categorical declaration that at the present time there could be no question of peace negotiations.

Having failed to carry out her original programme of crushing France in the first few months of the war, Germany has now altered her general plan and is straining every nerve to eliminate Russia from the number of her antagonists in order to be able to concentrate all her energies against the allies in the west, when they at last are in a position to cause her serious inconvenience.

Germany had hoped, by the momentum of her assault on both flanks of the Polish salient, to cut off and utterly destroy the Russian armies occupying it, and thus reduce Russia to impotence.

No doubt her calculations were largely based on the idea that the Russians would cling desperately to Warsaw and Vistula fortress, and thus allow themselves to be caught in a trap.

Women Carry Mail.

London.—Women mail carriers made their first appearance in London when twelve young women were assigned to replace male postmen in the Golden Green district in the northwestern part of the city.

MRS. CHARLES REID RILEY



Miss Minnie Conrad, daughter of the late William G. Conrad, a Montana copper magnate, was married recently to Charles Reid Riley, who owns a large farm in Clark county, Virginia, near the Conrad home. Mrs. Riley and her sister inherited \$8,000,000.

Roumania is Preparing.

Bucharest.—The cabinet has approved the new extraordinary credit of 100,000,000 francs (\$20,000,000) for military purposes. The Roumanian minister at Paris has been called to Bucharest for consultation.

Stormed Warsaw at Night.

Berlin.—According to press dispatches from Warsaw now reaching Berlin, the Polish capital fell as the result of a midnight storm of shot and shell against the forts on the south side of the city.

Whom He Dreads.
It isn't the girl who grows indignant when he tries to kiss her that a man dreads. It is the one who laughs at him.

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